## SUPPLEMENTAL **DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN** PATENT APPLICATION (37 CFR 1.67)

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| I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR A HIGH-SPEED SEARCH OF AN OPTICAL MEDIUM   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| (Title of the Invention)  |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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